

COUNTY CORRESPONDENCE

LEADWOOD

Rev. J. E. Palmer returned last week from the State Eldership of the Church of God, which met this year at Johnson City, Mo. We are glad to hear that he has been assigned to this place again for the coming year.

Theo. Talley, who has been in the west the last ten years, returned here last week for a visit with relatives and friends for a few weeks.

Ernest Mason, of Bonne Terre, who is spending his vacation from the auditor's office at that place, was here last Thursday and he and Andrew Coffman went hunting out in Washington county, where they made a pretty good killing of squirrels and rabbits.

Hon. M. E. Rhodes spoke to a large crowd of voters at the Community Hall last Wednesday night.

Quite a delegation from this place attended the Democratic speaking at Flat River last Wednesday night.

Mrs. L. B. Hise, of Flat River, was here last Thursday calling on friends in the interest of some of her political friends.

Henry Matkin, of near Bismarck, was here last Thursday a short time on business.

Marcus Kirkland, of Flat River, was here Friday.

Ben DeForest, of Irondale, was here last Thursday on business.

Claude Clay moved with his family to St. Louis last Saturday, where they will reside.

Mrs. J. W. Denton, Sr., and daughter, Miss Gladys, left for St. Louis Saturday, where they will reside.

Judge Peter H. Hock, of St. Genevieve, was here last Friday shaking hands with his many friends.

The Festus boys' H. S. basketball team defeated our boys on the local court last Friday night by the score of 20 to 12. Our boys were in a badly crippled condition, and were in no shape to put up their usual good game.

Prof. B. F. Seabaugh took his boys' Sunday school class, of the Methodist church, for an outing and a wicker roast last Saturday afternoon. The boys report having had a good time.

J. E. Murray, who is foreman of the machine shop of the St. Joseph Lead Co. at this place, is spending a two weeks vacation with relatives at Yount and Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. Evan Bable were passengers to St. Louis Sunday morning, returning home Monday evening.

J. C. Fields, J. W. Hulsey and J. F. Poston were visiting at Desloge Sunday afternoon.

D. M. Smith and J. L. Abbott were at home from Annapolis the first of the week to visit their families and to vote.

John Furry, who is working at Flat River, was here Sunday visiting friends.

Emmett Mason and sister, Miss Della, visited relatives at Quaker, Washington county, Sunday.

Mrs. James Murray died at her home here Sunday afternoon after a lingering illness of several years. Her funeral was held at the family residence Tuesday at 11 a. m., and the body was laid to rest at Park View cemetery at Flat River. The family have the sympathy of the entire community.

R. H. Maurer and Zeb McPike returned Saturday from a week's hunting out in Washington county, where they killed 25 rabbits, 23 squirrels and 2 possums. Uncle Zeb said that he could have killed some larger game, but as he was a law abiding citizen, he left them for a later date.

Henry Jordan moved with his family to Irondale Wednesday, where they will reside. We regret to lose this good family from our midst.

J. W. Heffron was home from Annapolis Tuesday to vote and visit his family.

Several Leadwood Nimrods journeyed to the wilds of Washington county last Thursday night to hunt "possums and incidentally, to eat steak. It was some bunch of hunters—22 strong. N. Levy, the official "possum toter", was along. So was Prof. Gear, the tree climber. Others in the crowd from Leadwood were: Tolleson, B. F. Towl, Deremiah, Nelson, Appleberry, Hall, McIntosh, Walter Scott, Keaves, Ed. Murry, Griffith, J. Evans, Chas. Rous, Bloom's place and proceeded to the hunt. After walking many, many miles over hills and through valleys, the bunch arrived, about mid-night, at the Hostettes school house where the official cockles, Deremiah and Murry, took charge. Soon several pounds of steak and onions were ready to be consumed. This dish together with several side issues were consumed in short order. There were several cases of indigestion afterwards, but Safety First, the genial Dr. Appleberry, was along and had a goodly supply of first-aid material. After the feast the journey homeward began. The party reached Leadwood about 5 a. m. feeling tired and sleepy. Did they get any "possums"? Yes, five. No skunk. The bunch is looking forward to another invitation from their good Washington county friends. It was one hunt that all parties enjoyed greatly.

Evelyn Edmonds gave a Halloween party Tuesday evening at her home and invited twelve of her girl friends. The dining room was decorated with autumn leaves, white and yellow chrysanthemums, black cats, bats, witches and jack-o'-lanterns. Everybody wore funny costumes and spooky games were played. After which doughnuts and red apples were served. Those present were: Alma Duemler, Mary Goodin, Hattie Thornton, Louise Evans, Blanch Hartman, Lillian Thacher, Dorris Hammonds, Dorothy McDermott, Maudie Johnson, Nina Mae Banister, Lucille Eddington and Evelyn Edmonds.

ELVINS

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Black were visitors in Farmington Wednesday.

Tom Alexander visited in Flat River Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Obs Polk were in Flat River Saturday.

Sherrille, of Bismarck, motored to Elvins Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Black motored to Farmington Wednesday.

Mrs. Geo. Crocker, of near Davis Crossing, was a business visitor in Elvins Friday.

Willis Couch, who has been taking medical treatment at Barnes hospital St. Louis, for seven weeks, returned home Friday.

Lester Black was in Flat River Saturday.

Wm. Wallen, of Bismarck, motored to Elvins Thursday.

Mrs. Edna Limbaugh and little son, Paul, of Flat River, visited the former's mother, Mrs. Etta Rohl Friday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Tillman Porter, a girl, Saturday. The infant lived only a short while.

J. W. Boswell, of Doe Run was a visitor in Elvins Thursday.

Ralph Black was a visitor in Flat River Saturday.

Misses Allene and Pauline Ross, of Rivermines, were in Elvins Thursday.

Miss Alice Board has accepted a position in Langdon's store, as clerk.

Florence and Grimm Layne were in Flat River Friday.

Rufus Blaylock was a visitor in Farmington Wednesday.

Marguerite Downs, of Flat River, was in Elvins Thursday.

Wm. Tinsley, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Tinsley, who has been ill, is improving.

John Layne motored to Farmington Wednesday.

Mrs. J. H. Black and daughter, Nellie, motored to Bismarck Saturday to visit the former's mother, Mrs. L. N. Beard.

Daisy Golden, who has employment in Flat River, visited her mother here Friday.

Edward Miller, of Flat River, was in Elvins Saturday.

Mrs. Emery Hargass, who has been ill, has improved very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McDowell, who have resided here for some time, removed to Flat River Friday.

Edw. Curlee, of Elvins, motored to Flat River Friday.

Miss Christine Newkirk is on the sick list.

Geo. Perry, of Bonne Terre, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Black.

Misses Mae and Virgie Nabors were visitors at Ironton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Wakefield have purchased a Ford.

Pearl Reeves, who has been working at Iron Mountain, spent the week-end with her wife.

Roland Moore, of Farmington, and Miss Sally DeGrant, of Elvins, motored to Fredericktown Sunday.

Chas. Adams, who has been visiting in St. Louis, returned Monday.

Mrs. Edna Conner and little daughter, Louise, of Sprott, were guests of Mrs. Nellie Rutschilling and family Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Price, of Avon, who has been visiting her niece, Mrs. Carr Hartshorn, returned home Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCroery and daughter, Hazel, went to Des Arc Saturday to spend a week with relatives.

Miss Thelma Farrar is reported on the sick list.

Miss Jacqueline White spent this week in Flat River.

Mr. and Mrs. Edw. Miller and children, of Flat River, were visitors in Elvins Sunday.

Mrs. Emma Aubuchon is on the sick list.

Mrs. Jiles Bartley and children attended church at Doe Run Sunday.

John Broadfoot has purchased a new Ford.

Miss Bertha Black, who has been in St. Louis, for some time, returned home Monday night.

Robt. Ferguson, Misses Helen and Ruth Silvey, accompanied by Lavilla Hampton and Glenwood Crabtree, motored to Esther and attended the ball game Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Cora Duloge, of Esther, visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Silvey Monday.

Geo. Black was in Flat River Tuesday.

Mrs. Mary London, of St. Louis, who has been visiting Mrs. Carl Lupton, returned to her home Monday.

The new home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Berryman, on Mill street, is nearing completion.

Arley Wampler, of St. Louis, visited his mother here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Wofford motored to Doe Run Sunday to attend church.

Gladys Bartley was a visitor in Doe Run Sunday.

H. Vapf, of Bismarck, motored to Elvins Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hulsey and children were in Flat River Saturday.

Fred Blackledge, of Flat River, was in Elvins Monday.

The basket ball game between the Esther 8th grade boys and the Elvins boys, played Friday night, resulted in a score of 24 to 16 in favor of Elvins. The H. S. boys' team and the Esther H. S. boys played also. The score was 43 to 26 in favor of Esther.

Oscar Nabors was a visitor in Ironton Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Myer Nudleman, who have been in St. Louis, returned Monday night.

Misses Lavinia Hampton and Beatrice Roegner were visitors of Miss Bernice Mosier, of Flat River, Sunday.

BONNE TERRE

Joe Hodap, of Herculaneum, spent several days here with his sister, Mrs. Thos. Allen.

Rev. J. A. Cunningham, of Desloge, visited here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Govro and daughter, of Elvins, spent Wednesday here with their son, John Govro, and family.

Ellen Weber, of St. Louis, was a visitor here several days with relatives.

Mrs. Louise Beatt died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cunningham, a niece of deceased, Monday, after an illness of several years of heart trouble.

Mrs. Beatt was a member of one of the old French families of Ste. Genevieve county, having been born at River Rouge, Ste. Genevieve county, on April 17, 1847, being at her death 75 years of age. She was a daughter of Batiste and Susan LaBruyere, being the last of a large family. She was married in 1882 to

Peter Beatt. Her husband preceded her in death about 5 years ago. Funeral services were held at the Catholic church by Rev. J. S. Moser. Interment in the Catholic cemetery.

Olga Mitchell was a visitor in Farmington Saturday and Sunday.

Walter Cook, of Desloge, was a business visitor here Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. L. Rawson and little daughter have returned from a brief stay in St. Louis with relatives and friends.

Thomas Allen and Willie Mouser visited in Farmington Monday.

Mrs. Mary Forsythe, of St. Louis, is here for a visit with her sister, Mrs. Thos. Allen.

C. J. Adams was a business visitor in St. Louis Monday.

Miss Anna Landolt visited Monday and Tuesday in St. Louis with relatives.

Dr. W. E. Weller's death came as a great shock to his many friends, on Friday morning. Death was due to pneumonia. He was born in Milwaukee, Wis., May 19, 1867. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Weller.

His father survives him, living at La Porte, Ind. He was married in 1902 and he and Mrs. Weller came here sixteen years ago. He leaves a wife and five children, Mona, Chas., Dorothy, Sam and Frank. His remains were taken to LaPorte, Ind. Saturday. Funeral services were conducted Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Misplay and family, of Herculaneum, spent Saturday and Sunday here with friends.

Mrs. Coleman was a visitor in Ironton Thursday.

Mrs. LaPlant, of Festus, spent Monday and Tuesday here with her son, Clarence, and family.

Matilda Cunningham spent Saturday in Flat River with friends.

Frank Weber, of Festus, was a guest of his sisters here last week.

T. P. Cook attended the funeral of Sam Middleton in Ironton Thursday.

Geo. and Dick Winston, of St. Louis, were called here on account of the illness and death of Mrs. Louise Beatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Matkin, of Flat River, spent Wednesday here with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cunningham and family.

Mrs. Andrew Schultz and Mrs. Ray Sales and son were visitors here Monday and Tuesday.

Roy Cronbach visited in Flat River Saturday.

Emmett Richardson, of St. Louis, spent Saturday and Sunday here with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Linn Chandler.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Francis, of Flat River, spent Saturday and Sunday here with Mrs. Aisaman and family.

Mrs. Geo. Alderman, of Collinsville, Ill., and Miss Gertrude Allen, of St. Louis, spent Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Allen and family.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Partney, Nov. 6th, a son.

Harry Bequette was a visitor in St. Louis Monday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Govro a daughter.

Thos. Allen was a DeSoto visitor Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Hritz and Misses Theresa and Anna Sikorsky were Saturday and Sunday guests of their sister in Buckner, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Nelms spent Saturday and Sunday in Farmington with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Menter, of Bismarck, spent Saturday and Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Merrill and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McSpadden, of Fredericktown, spent Sunday here with relatives.

Gentry Moran spent Saturday and Sunday in Libertyville with home folks.

Roy Clay spent Saturday and Sunday in Farmington with home folks.

Lucille Simpson spent the week-end in Farmington with home folks.

Miss Margaret Beck, of St. Louis, spent the week-end here with her sister, Mrs. Eli Portell.

Mrs. Eber Pettus delightfully entertained the club on Thursday afternoon. The attendance was good and the evening was spent in embroidery. Delicate refreshments were served to the guests.

Mr. Higgins, of St. Louis, was here Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Conrad were Saturday and Sunday guests in Sparta, Ill., with Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Peterson and family.

Myrtle LaBruyere is on an extended visit at Oakdale, Ill., the guest of relatives and friends.

Lawrence Wilkerson was guest of friends in Leadwood Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Campbell and children are spending several days in St. Louis with home folks and friends.

St. Louis John Boehle entertained a number of friends in honor of her daughters, Alma and Irma. All kinds of stunts and games were played. Refreshments were served and all had a good time.

Mrs. Jack Creeley has returned from a visit in Minneapolis, Minn., where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Harold Kenworthy.

Miss Sidney Boyer returned from a visit in St. Louis Saturday.

Mrs. Fenton Millen and daughter, of Silver Springs, spent Wednesday here with relatives.

Garrett Wheelon and Edwin Murphy, of Silver Springs, spent Sunday here.

Mrs. Monroe Peterson spent Wednesday and Thursday here with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Pratte, and family.

Frank Marchand spent Monday and Tuesday in Leadwood on business.

Mrs. Henry Bloom and daughters, of Flat River, were guests of relatives here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Worth, of Flat River, were guests of friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Lawrence and family, of Flat River, were visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Benham, of Flat River, were Saturday and Sunday visitors here with Marion Benham and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Gidley and family were visitors here Saturday and Sunday.

A party was given at the home of Wesley Holdman, a large number being present. Various games were played and refreshments served.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris, of Hazel Run, visited here Saturday and Sunday with their daughter.

W. Seltzer, of St. Louis, was guest of home folks here Saturday and Sunday.

Dailey Dodson, of St. Louis, was guest of his family here Saturday and Sunday.

Frank Woodside was a business visitor in Desloge Monday and Tuesday.

M. Resinger, of Hazel Run, was a guest of relatives here Sunday.

Henry Radle, of Farmington, was a visitor here Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Mayberry, of Leadwood, spent Saturday and Sunday here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Radle, and family.

Kiley Poston, of Hazel Run, was a guest of relatives here Friday.

Raymond Counts was a visitor here Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Crunclenton and daughter, of French Village, were guests of relatives here Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Ringer and daughter and Mrs. Alexander, of Germania, were visitors here Saturday and Sunday.

W. T. Newby, of Hazel Run, was a business visitor here.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Counts, of Hazel Run, spent Saturday and Sunday here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelley and daughters were week-end visitors with home folks.

Wm. Fowler, of French Village, transacted business here Friday.

Edith Mitchell was guest of home folks in Flat River Saturday and Sunday.

Leota Poston and Edna Degonia were business visitors in Flat River Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Acuff and daughter spent Sunday in Leadwood with friends.

L. B. Williams, of Leadwood, was a business visitor here Monday and Tuesday.

I. Lawson, of Herculaneum, visited his parents here Saturday and Sunday.

J. Williams was a visitor in Flat River Monday.

Miss Gertrude Kaul was guest of friends here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. E. M. Meyers, of Primrose, visited her daughter, Mrs. James Wood, Wednesday.

Harry Brownie was a business visitor in Flat River Wednesday and Thursday.

Edna and Isaline Dodson, of DeSoto, were week-end guests with home folks here.

Geo. Spain was a business visitor in Rivermines Monday.

Wm. Fischer, of Farmington, was a visitor here Monday and Tuesday.

Clifford Claywell visited in Flat River Friday and Saturday.

W. Fleming was a visitor in Desloge Friday.

J. Jenkerson, of Desloge, was a guest of friends here Sunday.

C. Williams is pending the week-end in Jonesboro, Ark., the guest of his daughter.

Miss Beatrice David spent Sunday here with friends.

Shelt Horn was a business visitor in Farmington Saturday.

Roy Blackwell visited in Flat River Saturday.

Elizabeth Rowe, of Valle Mines, was guest of relatives here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Murphy visited relatives here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Kerlagon and family spent Saturday and Sunday here.

Anna Overall was a Farmington visitor Saturday and Sunday.

Albert Jones, of Melzo, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mostiller spent Sunday with Mrs. E. Mostiller and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Counts and baby, of Hazel Run, spent Sunday here with friends.

FLAT RIVER

Mrs. Leo Moran, of Libertyville, visited friends here Saturday.

Miss Virginia Keith, of Farmington, spent Sunday here the guest of Miss Iva Haney.

Glen Davis, of Fredericktown, visited friends here Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Moran, of Bonne Terre, visited friends here Sunday.

Mrs. E. A. Wallace and son returned to their home in E. St. Louis Friday, after spending the past two weeks here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Schlick.

Nicholas Phillips spent last week-end in St. Louis, where he consulted a specialist at Barnes hospital.

Pat Murphy and Jasper Falk, of Bonne Terre, visited friends here Tuesday.

Miss Iva Haney spent the week-end with Miss Virginia Keith at Farmington.

Elmo Arbutnot was a business visitor in St. Louis the first of the week.

Chas. Pratt, Luther Estes and Carol Leadbetter visited friends in Bonne Terre Tuesday evening.

Mrs. T. L. Haney spent the week-end in Libertyville visiting her mother, Mrs. J. P. Simpson.

Miss Biddie Arbutnot spent Saturday and Sunday at Leadwood with friends.

The basket ball game between the Esther and Flat River girls resulted in a victory of 25-6 in favor of Esther.

The Flat River football team defeated the DeSoto team Friday afternoon by a score of 12-0.

Miss Maghenry Counts, who is attending school here, spent the week-end with her parents near Farmington.

Misses Virginia Keith and Iva Haney visited in Elvins Saturday.

The Flat River football boys will go to DeSoto Friday and play the DeSoto team.

The Flat River girls' basket ball team will play the Leadwood team at Leadwood Friday night.